

**Table IV.A.5 National total cost of optional coverage for the private sector by industry category\*\* : United States, 2019**

	<b>Total (in millions of dollars)</b>	<b>Standard error</b>
<b>United States</b>	48,631	848
<b>Ag/forestry/fishing</b>	227	47
<b>Mining and Manufacturing</b>	6,749	303
<b>Construction</b>	2,181	169
<b>Utilities and transportation</b>	3,223	329
<b>Wholesale</b>	3,049	192
<b>Finance services and real estate</b>	7,169	397
<b>Retail</b>	4,248	224
<b>Professional services</b>	15,065	513
<b>Other services</b>	6,721	452

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Source: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Center for Financing, Access and Cost Trends. 2019 Medical Expenditure Panel Survey - Insurance Component.

Notes: Definitions and descriptions of the methods used for this survey can be found in the Technical Appendix. Totals may not sum exactly because of rounding.

\*\* Definitions of industry groupings changed in 2000. These data are not comparable to MEPS-IC estimates made prior to 2000.